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In re Application of:

HIDEO FUSHIMOTO

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated January 31, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments and remarks be entered and considered in the above-identified application.

The present Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Format established by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as permitted in the Pre-OG Notice entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted," a copy of which is attached.